2 September 1952

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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SUBJECT:

Daily Progress Report for Friday, 29 August 1952

1. BGFIEND - We have been advised by the British in London that on the night of 26-27 August a successful leaflet raid was completed.

Leaflets and miniature copies of Shqiperia were dropped; no opposition was encountered. (IN 31485)

If and Bey Ohrida departed by air for Skoplje, Yugoslavia on 28 August, where they will represent King Zog in discussions with Yugoslav representatives. King Zog's instructions are reported to be for them to obtain a full guarantee of the integrity and independence of Albania; to demonstrate a sincere and ardent desire to collaborate with Tito; and to set up a personal meeting between King Zog and a Tito representative any place named by Tito to discuss and settle basic issues. (IN 31513)

Rome reports that a number of meetings between the British and American representatives and members of NCFA have been held to discuss reorganization of the NCFA. So far no serious complications have arisen although there is a certain amount of opposition to the plan. No definite agreements have been reached. (IN 31401) DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY

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